

## CINCINNATI CHOSEN

**NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE IN SESSION.**

**The Proceedings and Speeches Upon  
the Occasion—Political Comments  
and Suggestions**

The dispatches as published in the News yesterday informed us that the National Democratic Committee at a meeting held Monday had selected Cincinnati as the place for the holding of the next Democratic National Convention. We call the following additional particulars from the Baltimore Sun:

MEETING OF THE COMMITTEE.  
WASHINGTON, February 23.—The National Democratic Committee met

at Willard's Hall to-day at noon to elect a place and appoint a time for holding the National Democratic Convention, and, as has been anticipated, the choice fell upon Cincinnati, the time fixed being June 22, nearly three weeks after the National Republican Convention at Chicago.

lady's Hotel were crowded with a mass of people, citizens and strangers, all busily engaged in discussing the action of the National Democratic Committee. The members of the National Committee kept pretty close and did not mix much with the crowd, but were taking counsel with each other in private. The delegations from the different cities desiring to secure the convention did not relax in their canvassing of the chances, but, as stated last night, the feeling seemed to be among all that Cincinnati was destined to obtain the coveted honor. So confident were the voters of Cincinnati that they were the Cincinnati people, that they

provided advance a large quantity of champagne and cigars to be dispensed as soon as the formal announcement was made. The usual talk was kept up as to Mr. Tilden's preference in the matter of location with the hope of

THE PROCEEDINGS.

sided over the meeting of the committee, with Frederick O. Prince, secretary. There were present the full membership, thirty-eight, in person or by proxy. Several resolutions were

submitted regarding the time of holding the national convention, and the date above mentioned, viz., Tuesday, June 22. The roll was then called to ascertain the number of cities desirous

Mr. M. W. Fuller, of Chicago, urged the claims of that city, and its big hall, capable of seating 14,000 persons, and said the transportation of every member of the committee, with his family,

Ex-Mayor Brown, of St. Louis, set forth the advantages of that city, its central position, railroad facilities, hotel accommodations, and an assurance of no increase of hotel rates.

Ex-Representative Sayer, presented the claims of Cincinnati, which he said could duplicate the claims of all the other places in some respects, and in others more than duplicate them, Music Hall, where the convention would

be held, has recently been erected, will seat 4,500, and has an entertaining capacity of 7,000. Cincinnati, he said, would bear the expenses, provide headquarters and committee rooms for every State free of charge, and furnish necessary printing. The members of the committee and their families would be properly entertained and provided for. He was the intention to make the National Democratic Convention the number one convention, whereas if it went to Chicago it would be number three, now that the date is fixed for June 22. The Republican and Green-

back conviction preceding it. In concluding he said as Cincinnati named the man in 1836, so will she name him in 1880.

Engene City, Oregon, was advocated by Representative Whitteare in a humorous speech, in which he said there were no artificial facilities to be had there, but that members could find good camping grounds, and advised them to bring a good supply of blankets, &c.

Mr. W. L. Scott, of Philadelphia, invited the committee to locate the conference at the University of Pennsylvania.

vention in that city recommended the Centennial building, and wound up by saying: "There is no city on God's foot-stool that needs something of this sort so badly as Philadelphia, to enlighten it and get some civilization into it."

Mr. Stillson Hutchins advocated the claims of Washington.

**THE BALLOTS.**

An informal ballot was then taken, with the following results: Cincinnati 14, Chicago 10, St. Louis 4, Washington 4, Baltimore 2, Philadelphia 1, Jackson (Miss.) 1, Eugene City (Oregon) 1, blank

The formal ballot was then taken, with the following results: Cincinnati 24, Chicago 8, St. Louis 4, Washington 1, blank 1-83.

Twenty votes being necessary for a choice, Cincinnati was selected. The selection of Cincinnati was then made unanimous. Mr. John G. Thompson, after thanking the committee for their action, moved that a committee be appointed to confer with a Cincinnati committee to arrange details. The motion was agreed to, and the chair appointed Messrs. Thompson, McHenry

Bate, Miller, Ham, Priest, Goudey, Barnum and Prince.

THE SECRET SESSION.

In the secret session of the committee to-day, after the close of the session, Mr. Scott, of Pennsylvania, offered a resolution tendering the good offices of the National Committee to the divided Democracy of New York for the purpose of restoring harmony between the two factions. Mr. Hewitt objected to the resolution, and said the Democracy of New York was able to

little its differences without any outside assistance. He intimated that at the approaching convention of the party harmony would be brought about. Some little animation was exhibited during the discussion of the subject, and some of the committee intimated, though perhaps not openly, that the only harmony satisfactory to Mr. Tilden would be to acquiesce in his control of the State convention. The resolution was finally withdrawn. Another proposition was submitted that it be recommended to the different State committees to put on their ex-

Executive committee the member of the National committee for their State. It was held that in this way the National and State committees would be brought into closer relations and the work of both could be rendered more effective. Gen. Ransom, of North Carolina, opposed this, on the ground that it might be considered as interference with the prerogatives of the State committees. The proposition was, however, adopted.



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